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March 10, 2003

To: Supervisor Yvonne Brathwaite Burke, Chair
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From: David E. Janssen
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**COUNTY LIGHTING DISTRICT LLA-A PALMDALE ZONE A
(PROJECT NO. 2003-1) PROPOSITION 218 BALLOTS**

The Department of Public Works (DPW) requested this office to disregard recently mailed Proposition 218 assessment ballots for nine parcels identified as Attachment A. These parcels are part of the Flood Control District's Private Drain 2266 Retention Basin Nos. 1, 2, 3 and 4, and Ft. Tejon Debris Basin "A" and "C" 2101, and will not receive sufficient or practical benefit from the district's services and improvements to warrant these assessments. It has been the general practice of local jurisdictions to exclude Flood Control channels and appurtenances from benefit assessment procedures.

DPW mailed out the subject ballots to all properties within the Palmdale Zone A Lighting District that received a direct benefit for lighting services. The land use for the above-mentioned County parcels is erroneously identified on the County Assessor's Roll as single family residences which allowed for their inclusion in the assessment ballots mailing. DPW and this office will work with the County Assessor to correct this discrepancy in land use.

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Should you have any questions or require additional information, please contact me or Chuck West of my staff at (213) 974-4300.

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Attachments

c: Executive Officer, Board of Supervisors
 County Counsel